

**CLAIMS:** Please amend the claims according to the status designations in the following list, which contains all claims that were ever in the application, with the text of all active claims.

1. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A cell phone carrier comprising:
  - a. A suitably sized bag, which is of flexible material, which is assembled from one or more panels of material or is woven or shaped into a single unit, and which has a flared opening when the bag is fully opened, ~~mouth in the relaxed and unsecured state~~.
  - b. A means to serve as a drawstring for closing the bag of 1.a..
  - c. A means to mate a drawstring with the edge of the opening ~~mouth~~ of the bag of 1.a., either continuously or at discrete points along the circumference of the opening of the bag ~~mouth~~.
  - d. One or more handles attached at or near the edge of the opening of the bag 1.a., and which are positioned to facilitate quick opening of the bag of 1.a..
2. (ORIGINAL) A carrier as in claim 1 whose dimensions have been re-scaled to accommodate items larger or smaller than cell phones.
3. (ORIGINAL) A carrier as in claim 1 which has been embellished with indicia.
4. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A carrier as in claim 1 which is adapted ~~used~~ to carry eyeglasses or sunglasses, or any of a variety of small electronic items including ~~such as~~ calculators, palmtop or handheld computers, ~~or~~ personal organizers and contact managers.
5. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A carrier as in claim 1 which has an attaching means affixed to the end of the drawstring means, which enables the user to attach the carrier to their clothing, or ~~such as~~ to a belt or belt loop.
6. (CANCELED)
7. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A carrier as in claim 1 which also incorporates an external identification card holder, and ~~which~~ permits the identification card to be kept visible.
8. (CANCELED)

9. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A carrier as in claim 1, which has a belt or strap formed from or affixed to the drawstring means.
10. (CANCELED)
11. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A cell phone carrier comprising:
  - a. A suitably sized bag of flexible and stretchable material, which is assembled from one or more panels of material or is woven or shaped as a single unit.
  - b. A means to mate a stiff wire-like ~~draw-wire~~ means with the edge of the opening ~~mouth~~ of the bag, either continuously or at discrete points along the circumference of the opening ~~mouth~~.
  - c. ~~An~~ stiff wire-like ~~incompressible~~ means to be mated with the edge of the opening of the bag to serve as a draw-wire for closing the bag, and which will ~~to~~ shape the mouth of the bag while it is open.
  - d. A clasping ~~clipping~~ means assembled onto the stiff wire-like ~~incompressible~~ ~~draw-wire~~ means, and also attached to the carrier bag at the edge of the opening ~~mouth~~ of the bag, such that the bag can be opened by pulling the clasping ~~clipping~~ means along the stiff wire-like ~~drawstring~~ means and then engaging the clasping ~~means~~ it to maintain a flared shape to the opening ~~mouth~~.
12. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A carrier as in claim 1041 whose dimensions have been re-scaled to accommodate items larger or smaller than cell phones.
13. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A carrier as in claim 1041 which has been embellished with indicia.
14. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A carrier as in claim 1041 which is adapted ~~used~~ to carry eyeglasses or sunglasses, or any of a variety of small electronic items including ~~such as~~ calculators, palmtop or handheld computers, ~~or~~ personal organizers and contact managers.
15. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A carrier as in claim 1041 which has an attaching means affixed to the end of the stiff wire-like ~~drawstring~~ means, which enables the user to attach the carrier to their clothing, ~~or such as~~ to a belt or belt loop.

16. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A carrier as in claim 10+1 which also incorporates one or more handles attached at or near the edge of the opening of the bag, and which are positioned to facilitate quick opening of the bag.
17. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A carrier as in claim 10+1 which also incorporates an external identification card holder, and which permits the identification card to be kept visible.
18. (CANCELED)
19. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A carrier as in claim 10+1 which has a belt or strap formed from or affixed to the stiff wire-like drawstring means.
20. (CANCELED)